

## Postdoctoral Fellowship Admissions, Support, and Initial Placement Data

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### Program Admissions

Briefly describe in narrative form important information to assist potential applicants in assessing their likely fit with your program. This description must be consistent with the program's policies on resident selection and practicum and academic preparation requirements:
<p>This Clinical Psychology Postdoctoral Fellowship at VASLCHCS offers fellowship positions for those looking to emphasize specific clinical tracks, with an emphasis on evidence-based interventions.</p> <p>Addiction Treatment Track focuses on treating veterans with co-occurring addiction and mental health, medical, and/or other psychosocial issues. There are multiple specialty opportunities available in this track, including addiction and behavioral health, PTSD, DBT, residential care, and intensive or supportive outpatient care. Fellows will be involved in individual and group therapy, care coordination/case management, and assessment. Many other opportunities exist including leadership experiences, program development and evaluation, among others.</p> <p>Health Psychology &amp; Geropsychology Track focuses on providing interprofessional primary care/behavioral health with a lesser focus on geriatrics. One fellow will provide interprofessional primary care/behavioral health to geriatric patients, with a lesser focus on general primary care/behavioral health. Additional areas of emphasis include rural populations, program evaluation and development, and will also allow for the fellow to develop their own specific interests.</p> <p>PTSD Track with a focus on PTSD, Polytrauma, and readjustment strains for OEF/OIF/OND veterans. This track has been in place since 2008 and is accredited by American Psychological Association. Residents typically split their time in the PTSD Clinic and the Polytrauma Clinic where they learn various times assessments and train in advanced interventions for those with TBI histories as well as PTSD.</p>
Describe any other required minimum criteria used to screen applicants:
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. United States Citizen (per VA Policy)</li> <li>2. Completion of an APA accredited predoctoral internship</li> <li>3. Graduation from an APA accredited Clinical or Counseling Psychology Doctoral Program.</li> </ol>

### Financial and Other Benefit Support for Upcoming Training Year\*

Annual Stipend/Salary for Full-time Residents	\$46,102
Annual Stipend/Salary for Half-time Residents	NA
Program provides access to medical insurance for resident?	Yes
If access to medical insurance is provided Trainee contribution to cost required? Coverage of family member(s) available? Coverage of legally married partner available? Coverage of domestic partner available?	
Hours of Annual Paid Personal Time Off (PTO and/or Vacation)	104

Hours of Annual Paid Sick Leave	104
In the event of medical conditions and/or family needs that require extended leave, does the program allow reasonable unpaid leave to interns/residents in excess of personal time off and sick leave?	Yes
Other Benefits (please describe): Postdoctoral fellows at the VASLCHCS are provided with all rights, benefits, and responsibilities associated with "Employee" status. As such, they are expected to comply with all medical center policies pertaining to employee behavior, including leave. Fellows may also apply for limited hourly credit for attendance at national and regional professional meetings and workshops through their primary supervisor and Postdoctoral Training Committee.	

\* Note. Programs are not required by the Commission on Accreditation to provide all benefits listed in this table.

### Initial Post-Residency Positions

(Provide An Aggregated Tally for the Preceding 3 cohorts: 2017-18, 2018-19, 2019-20)

Total # of residents who were in the 3 cohorts	13	
Total # of residents who remain in training in the residency program	0	
	PD	EP
Community mental health center	0	0
Federally qualified health center	0	0
Independent primary care facility/clinic	0	0
University counseling center	0	0
Veterans Affairs medical center	0	9
Military health center	0	0
Academic health center	0	4
Other medical center or hospital	0	0
Psychiatric hospital	0	0
Academic university/department	0	0
Community college or other teaching setting	0	0
Independent research institution	0	0
Correctional facility	0	0
School district/system	0	0
Independent practice setting	0	0
Not currently employed	0	0
Changed to another field	0	0
Other	0	0
Unknown	0	0

Note. "PD" = Post-doctoral residency position; "EP" = Employed Position. Each individual represented in this table should be counted only one time. For former trainees working in more than one setting, select the setting that represents their primary position.